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construction, open upper end 16 leads to an interior storage chamber 19 defined within container body 6. As clearly shown in Figures 2 and 3, the upper inside surface portion (not separately labeled) of storage chamber 19 is formed with a plurality of inwardly extending projections 30-33. In the most preferred form of the invention, container body 6 is transparent. As also shown in these Figures, container body 6 is preferably provided with an annular, outwardly projecting lip 37 at open upper end 16.

Package 2 also includes a cover member 40 which is defined by a base 43 and an upstanding annular sidewall 45. As shown, base 43 is provided with a plurality of openings 47. In the most preferred embodiment, base 43 is curved so as to include a concave upper side and a convex lower side. Cover member 40 also includes a pull-tab 58 that preferably takes the form of a ring. Pull-tab 58 is preferably connected to a portion of annular sidewall 45 through a living hinge generally indicated 60. Therefore, pull-tab 58 can pivot from the position shown in Figure 2 and 3 to a position wherein pull-tab 58 is arranged below an upper edge (not separately labeled) of annular sidewall 45. In the most preferred embodiment, cover member 40 is preferably injection molded of plastic. --

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Kindly cancel claims 14, 28 and 30-43 in their entirety, without prejudice or disclaimer, and amend claims 1, 15, 16 and 29 as follows:

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1. (Once Amended) A compact package for a garment made from a delicate material comprising:
    - a container body defining a storage chamber having an open end;
    - a garment made from a delicate material having an associated uncompressed, loose density, said garment being compressed within the storage chamber of said

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